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BURSON-MARSTELLER, LLC,

Plaintiff,

12 Civ. 2919 (JGK)

- against -

MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER

UNITED BRANDS CO.,

Defendant.

JOHN G. KOELTL, District Judge:

The plaintiffs allege diversity jurisdiction pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1332(a). The complaint describes plaintiff Burson-Marsteller, LLC as a limited liability company. A limited liability company has the citizenship of each of its members for the purposes of diversity jurisdiction. See Handelsman v. Bedford Vill. Assocs. Ltd. P'ship, 213 F.3d 48, 51-52 (2d Cir. 2000). The plaintiff should therefore advise the Court as soon as possible as to the citizenship of each of its members.

Dated:

New York, New York April 19, 2012

John G. Koeltl

United States District Judge